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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Meyer, et al. )  
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For : System and Method for )  
Playing a Lottery-Type )  
Game )  
Art Unit : 3711 )  
Examiner : Not Yet Assigned )

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-referenced application on the merits, please enter the following amendments:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the specification with the substitute specification enclosed herewith as Appendix A. A marked-up copy of the specification showing the changes made is enclosed herewith as Appendix B.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 3, 27, 28, 30-32 and 34 as shown in Appendix C enclosed herewith. For convenience, the applicants have presented all of the pending claims 1-34 (as amended) in clean form in Appendix C. A marked-up version of the amended claims is enclosed herewith as Appendix D.

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